

# INTERIM CALENDAR

REVISED CALENDAR  
Tuesday, January 14, 2003

Speaker **Johnnie Byrd**

Speaker pro tempore **Lindsay M. Harrington**

<b>Monday</b> <b>January 20, 2003</b>	<b>Tuesday</b> <b>January 21, 2003</b>	<b>Wednesday</b> <b>January 22, 2003</b>	<b>Thursday</b> <b>January 23, 2003</b>	<b>Friday</b> <b>January 24, 2003</b>
<p>Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday <b>HOLIDAY</b></p>	<p>Travel</p>	<p>8:00 – 12:00</p> <p>Group II</p> <p><b>Business Regulation</b> Morris Hall</p> <p><b>The Future of Florida's Families</b> Full Not Meeting</p> <p>Subcommittees: Children Srvs. Reed Hall Elder Affairs &amp; Long-Term Care 306H</p>	<p>8:00 – 12:00</p> <p>Group V</p> <p><b>Agriculture</b> 214C</p> <p><b>Local Govt. &amp; Veterans' Affairs</b> Not Meeting</p> <p><b>Procedures</b> 212K</p> <p><b>Public Safety &amp; Crime Prevention</b> Morris Hall</p> <p>Subcommittees: Corrections 24H Crim. Justice Morris Hall Juvenile Justice 28H</p>	<p>8:00 – 12:00</p> <p>Group III</p> <p><b>Finance &amp; Tax</b> Site Visit</p> <p><b>Judiciary</b> Not Meeting</p> <p><b>Transportation</b> 404H</p>
	<p>11:15 - 1:15 <b>Select Committee on Medical Liability Insurance</b> 404H</p>		<p>11:30-1:30 <b>Joint Select Committee on Nursing Homes</b> 412K</p>	<p>10:00 – 12:00 <b>Select Committee on Article V</b> Morris Hall</p>
	<p>12:00 – 1:00 LUNCH</p>	<p>12:00 – 1:00 LUNCH</p>		<p>12:00 – 1:00 LUNCH</p>
	<p>1:00 – 5:00 Group I</p> <p><b>Commerce</b> 404H</p> <p><b>Education K-20</b> Full Not Meeting</p> <p>Subcommittees: Ed. Innovation Morris Hall General Ed. Morris Hall Higher Ed. Morris Hall Pre-K – 12 Morris Hall</p> <p><b>State Adm.</b> Reed Hall</p>	<p>1:00 – 5:00</p> <p>Group VI</p> <p><b>Appropriations</b> 212K</p> <p>5:30 – 7:30 <b>Select Committee on Medical Liability Insurance</b> 404H</p>	<p>2:00 – 5:00</p> <p>Group IV</p> <p><b>Health Care</b> Morris Hall</p> <p><b>Insurance</b> Reed Hall</p> <p><b>Natural Res.</b> 404H</p> <p>Subcommittees: Environmental Reg. 404H Public Lands &amp; Water Resources 306H</p>	<p>1:00 – 5:00</p> <p>Group VI</p> <p><b>Appropriations</b> Full Not Meeting</p> <p>Subcommittees: Ag. &amp; Env. Approp. 306H Commerce &amp; Local Affairs Approp. 404H Ed. Approp. Morris Hall Health Approp. 24H Human Svs. Approp. 28H Judicial Approp. 214C Public Safety App. 12H Trans. &amp; Econ. Dev. Approp. Reed Hall</p>

## IMPORTANT LEGISLATIVE DATES

### 2003

January 6-10	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – December 27	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
January 13-17	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 3	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
January 20-24	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 10	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
February 3-7	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 24	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
February 7 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for requests of Member bills, both general and local, submitted to House Bill Drafting	<i>Bill Drafting Policy</i>
February 10-14	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 31	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
February 17-21	Interim Committee and Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – February 7	<i>[Rule 7.12] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting</i>
February 24 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for requests to sponsor an identical companion to a Senate bill which was requested in the Senate prior to its deadline.	<i>Bill Drafting Policy</i>
March 4	<b>First Day of Session 2003</b> [81 <sup>st</sup> House since Statehood: 105 <sup>th</sup> Regular Session since Statehood; 18 <sup>th</sup> House since 1968 Constitutional Revision]	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Day [Art. III, s. 3(b), Const.]</i>
March 4	Filing deadline for general bills, local bills originating in the House, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions (except one relating to extension of a session or legislative organization or procedures), or memorials originating in the House (12 noon)	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Day [Rule 5.2(a)]</i>
April 13	Bill(s) may no longer be retained for purpose of reconsideration	<i>41<sup>st</sup> Day [Rule 7.13(b)]</i>
April 17	Last day for committees and subcommittees to meet after giving 2 days (excluding Saturday and Sunday) notice on bills (at least 1 day notice thereafter)	<i>45<sup>th</sup> Day [Rule 7.10(a)]</i>
April 17	Last day on which committee or subcommittee amendments shall be filed by 5:00 p.m., 1 day (excluding Saturday and Sunday) in advance of committee or subcommittee meeting by nonappointed members (2 hours thereafter)	<i>45<sup>th</sup> Day [Rule 7.22(c)]</i>
April 19	All bills transmitted to the Senate forthwith	<i>Last 14 Days [Rule 11.7(b)]</i>
<b>May 2</b>	<b>Last day of Regular Session, if Legislature completes work in 60 days</b>	

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Notices as received from Committees and Subcommittees

Tuesday, January 21, 2003

### Commerce

3:00 PM - 5:00 PM 404 HOB  
Interim projects by staff as approved by Speaker

Presentation by Agencies  
Department of State  
Department of Banking and Finance  
Visit Florida  
Division of Hotels and Restaurants  
Agency for Workforce Innovation  
Workforce Florida, Inc.

### Education Innovation (Education K-20)

3:00 PM - 3:45 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)  
General comments by Chairman Attkisson  
Introduction of Subcommittee Members  
Overview of School Choice Scholarship Programs  
Overview of Charter Schools in Florida  
General presentation on Charter School Accountability

### Education K-20

[NOT MEETING]

### General Education (Education K-20)

1:00 PM - 1:45 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)  
Opening remarks  
Introduction of members and staff  
Presentation by the Department of Education  
Teacher Recruitment and Retention  
Paths to Teacher Certification  
Presentation by Florida Virtual School  
Closing remarks

### Higher Education (Education K-20)

2:00 PM - 2:45 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)  
Opening remarks  
Introduction of members and staff  
Presentation by Department of Education on Nursing Education  
Presentation by the Council on Education Policy, Research & Improvement  
on Teacher Education  
Closing remarks

### Pre-K through 12 (Education K-20)

4:00 PM - 4:45 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)  
Opening remarks by Chair Arza  
Introduction of members and staff  
Staff presentation on Universal Pre-K Amendment  
Presentations on School Readiness  
Closing comments

### Select Committee on Medical Liability Insurance

11:15 AM - 1:15 PM 404 HOB  
Discussion of quality health care related aspects of medical liability insurance issues.

Presentations by regulators, providers and other experts on access, availability, and quality of care issues as affected by medical liability insurance issues.

### State Administration

2:00 PM - 5:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Consideration of the following Proposed Committee bill(s):

- PCB SA 03-01 -- PR/Exemption for state employee assistance program records
- PCB SA 03-02 -- PR/Exemption for videotaped statements of minors
- PCB SA 03-03 -- PR/Exemption for certain information regarding housing assistance programs
- PCB SA 03-04 -- PR/Exemption for county employee assistance program records
- PCB SA 03-05 -- PR/Exemption for municipal employee assistance program records
- PCB SA 03-06 -- PR/Exemption for trade secret information held by the Dept. of Community Affairs
- PCB SA 03-07 -- Notification of an adverse incident
- PCB SA 03-08 -- PR & PM/Exemption for the Statewide Provider and Subscriber Assistance Program
- PCB SA 03-09 -- PR/Exemption for foster parent applicants and licensed foster parents
- PCB SA 03-10 -- PR/Exemption for the Florida Kidcare program
- PCB SA 03-11 -- PR/Exemption for Div. of Workers' Comp investigatory records
- PCB SA 03-12 -- PR/Exemption for an ill or injured employee's identifying information
- PCB SA 03-13 -- PR/Exemption for an investigation by the Division of Land Sales
- PCB SA 03-14 -- PR & PM/Exemption for the Florida Automobile Joint Underwriting Association
- PCB SA 03-15 -- PR/Exemption for an executioner's identifying information
- PCB SA 03-16 -- PR/Exemption for rabies vaccination certificates

Wednesday, January 22, 2003

### **Appropriations**

1:30 PM - 3:30 PM 212 Knott Building  
Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget  
for Fiscal Year 2003-2004

### **Business Regulation**

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)  
Welcome and comments  
Presentation by the Department of the Lottery  
Presentation by the Division of Alcoholic Beverages &  
Tobacco,  
Department of Business and Professional Regulation  
Presentation by the Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering,  
Department of  
Business and Professional Regulation  
Closing remarks and adjournment

### **Children's Services** (Future of Florida's Families)

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)  
Overview of Child Support Enforcement Program  
Overview of Family Safety Programs

### **Elder Affairs & Long-Term Care** (Future of Florida's Families)

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM 306 HOB  
Update on implementation of 2001-45 L.O.F.  
Overview of the PACE Project (Program of all Inclusive  
Services to the Elderly)  
Update on the Teaching Nursing Home  
Overview of Affordable Housing Issues  
Overview of Assisted Living Issues  
Overview of the Personal Care Attendant Pilot Project  
Update on the following Interim Projects:  
Assisted Living Facilities

### **Future of Florida's Families**

[NOT MEETING]

### **Select Committee on Medical Liability Insurance**

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM 404 HOB  
Discussion of liability related aspects of medical liability  
insurance issues.

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Thursday, January 23, 2003

### **Agriculture**

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM 214 Capitol  
Overview of briefing book for committee Members

Viewing of Department of Agriculture & Consumer  
Services' (DACS) video on department activities

#### **Presentations:**

DACS proposed legislative package for the 2003  
Session

Staff Interim project on section 576.045, F.S.,  
relating to nitrates

Development & Implementation of nitrate best  
management practices

### **Corrections** (Public Safety & Crime Prevention)

8:15 AM - 9:15 AM 24 HOB  
Introduction of committee Members and staff

Presentation by the Department of Corrections

### **Criminal Justice** (Public Safety & Crime Prevention)

9:30 AM - 10:30 AM Morris Hall (17 HOB)  
Introduction of committee Members and staff

Introduction of Attorney General and Statewide  
Prosecutor

### **Environmental Regulation** (Natural Resources)

2:00 PM - 2:30 PM 404 HOB  
Organizational meeting

Staff Presentations on 2002 Legislation

### **Health Care**

2:00 PM - 5:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)  
Presentations Regarding Statutorily Authorized Studies:

Final Report of the Certificate-of-Need (CON)  
Workgroup  
Richard Morrison, Regional Vice President,  
Florida Hospital, Chair, CON Workgroup

Feasibility of Outsourcing Functions of the Board of  
Dentistry

Jay Starling, Executive Director, Office of  
Legislative Services

Staff Presentations on Interim Studies:

Administrative Process Review for Medicaid  
Reimbursement

Development of Guiding Principles for the  
Evaluation of Proposed Health Care Legislation

### **Insurance**

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)  
State of the insurance market: Regulatory perspective  
and upcoming issues by Kevin McCarty, Acting Director,  
Office of Insurance Regulation, Financial Services  
Commission

State of the insurance market: Company perspectives  
and upcoming issues by a panel of insurance company  
representatives

State of the insurance market: Agent perspectives and  
upcoming issues by a panel of insurance agent  
representatives

## **Joint Select Committee on Nursing Homes**

11:30 AM – 1:30 PM 412 Knott Building  
(Pat Thomas Committee Room)

1. Continuation of discussion of issues relating to implementation of the risk retention group for nursing homes and the availability of long-term care liability insurance.
2. Continuation of discussion of Medicaid nursing home funding and nursing home liability claims.
3. Overview of the nursing home civil enforcement provisions of ss. 400.023-400.0238, F.S.
4. Public testimony relating to long-term care liability insurance.

## **Juvenile Justice** (Public Safety & Crime Prevention)

9:30 AM - 10:30 AM 28 HOB

Introduction of committee Members and staff

Presentation by the Department of Juvenile Justice

## **Local Government & Veterans' Affairs**

[NOT MEETING]

## **Natural Resources**

3:30 PM - 5:00 PM 404 HOB

Presentations by:

- South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD)
- Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD)
- St. Johns River Water Management District (SJRWMD)
- Suwannee River Water Management District (SRWMD)
- Northwest Florida Water Management District (NFWMD)

Staff Presentation on Committee Briefing Book

Discussion of Interim Projects

## **Procedures**

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM 212 Knott Building

Consideration of the following Proposed Committee bill(s):

- PCB PC-03-01 -- Florida Statutes/General Reviser's Bill
- PCB PC-03-02 -- Florida Statutes/Repeals Expired Provisions
- PCB PC-03-03 -- Florida Statutes/Removes Gender-Specific References
- PCB PC-03-04 -- Florida Statutes/Deletes Outdated Apportionment Provisions
- PCB PC-03-05 -- Florida Statutes/General Reviser's Bill
- PCB PC-03-06 -- Florida Statutes/Adoption Act

2003 Reviser's Bills

Presentation by the Florida Elections Commission  
Barbara Linthicum, Executive Director

## **Public Lands & Water Resources** (Natural Resources)

2:45 PM - 3:15 PM 306 HOB

Organizational meeting

Staff Presentations on 2002 Legislation

## **Public Safety & Crime Prevention**

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Staff presentation on the status of death penalty issues in Florida

## **Veteran's & Military Affairs** (Local Government & Veterans' Affairs)

[NOT MEETING]

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Friday, January 24, 2003

## **Agriculture & Environment**

### **Appropriations** (Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 306 HOB

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget for Fiscal Year 2003-2004

### **Appropriations**

[NOT MEETING]

### **Claims** (Judiciary)

[NOT MEETING]

## **Commerce & Local Affairs**

### **Appropriations** (Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 404 HOB

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget for Fiscal Year 2003-2004

## **Education Appropriations** (Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget for Fiscal Year 2003-2004

Budget workshop

## **Finance & Tax**

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Site visit to the Florida Department of Revenue

## **Health Appropriations** (Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 24 HOB

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget for Fiscal Year 2003-2004

## **Human Services Appropriations**

(Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 28 HOB

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget for Fiscal Year 2003-2004

**Judicial Appropriations** (Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 214 Capitol

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget  
for Fiscal Year 2003-2004**Judiciary**

[NOT MEETING]

**Public Safety Appropriations**

(Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 12 HOB

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget  
for Fiscal Year 2003-2004**Select Committee on Article V**

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Welcome and opening remarks by Chair

Overview of committee charge

Staff presentation

Presentation by MGT of America

Article V Project Report, Phase 1

**Transportation**

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM 404 HOB

Agency Briefing Presentation by the Department of  
Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles.Agency Briefing Presentation by the Department of  
Transportation.Florida High Speed Rail Authority Report to the  
Legislature.**Transportation & Economic  
Development Appropriations**

(Appropriations)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Presentation of the Governor's recommended budget  
for Fiscal Year 2003-2004

## PRE-FILED BILLS FOR 2003 REGULAR SESSION

### HB 3 by Gelber

**Offenses by Public Servants;** Provides criminal penalties for official misconduct, criminal misuse of official position, disclosure or use of confidential criminal justice information, & bid tampering; provides criminal penalty for perjury in official proceeding by public servant; deletes specified felonies from & adds specified felonies to Criminal Punishment Code offense severity ranking chart, etc. Effective Date: This act shall take effect October 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Criminal Justice; Public Safety & Crime Prevention; Ethics & Elections; Procedures; Public Safety Appropriations; Appropriations

### HB 5 by Ritter

**Sexual Offenders;** Permits a judge presiding in a case in which certain minors are convicted of sexual battery or other sexual offenses to place the name of the convicted minor on the list of persons required to be registered with the Department of Law Enforcement as a sexual offender when the minor reaches age 18. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Juvenile Justice; Public Safety & Crime Prevention; Judiciary; Public Safety Appropriations; Appropriations

### HB 7 by Richardson

**District School Board Employees;** Extends special death benefits to certain district school board employees who provide indirect services to students. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to State Administration; General Education; Education K-20; Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### HB 9 by Negron

**Public School Attendance;** Raises the age of compulsory school attendance from 16 years of age to 17 years of age; conforms provisions relating to a student's right to file a formal declaration of intent to terminate school enrollment. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Pre-K through 12; Education K-20; Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### HB 11 by Mahon

**Public Records;** Provides an exemption from public records requirements for information contained in a paternity registry maintained by the Department of Children and Family Services; provides for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; provides a finding of public necessity; provides a contingent effective date.

### HB 13 by Mahon

**Assault;** Provides that a law enforcement officer may make an arrest without a warrant under described circumstances when an assault is made upon another person in that person's workplace; provides immunity from civil liability under described circumstances; defines the term "workplace." Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

1/9/2003 Referred to Criminal Justice; Public Safety & Crime Prevention; Judiciary; Public Safety Appropriations; Appropriations

### HB 15 by Mahon

**Funding for School Districts;** Deletes determination of district cost differentials for purpose of allocation of funds to school districts for operation of schools; deletes use of the Florida Price Level Index for purpose of allocation of funds to school districts for student transportation. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### HB 17 by Kilmer

**Public K-12 Education;** Requires reports to law enforcement agencies or agents of forcible felonies, or threats of forcible felonies, on school property; provides penalties for noncompliance; provides that a person reporting in good faith shall be immune from liability; prohibits immunity to suspected persons; prohibits reprisal or discharge due to reporting; provides for civil cause of action under certain circumstances. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Education K-20; Public Safety & Crime Prevention; Judiciary

### HB 19 by Gottlieb

**Education;** Prohibits harassment, discrimination, and violence in Florida schools; provides for punitive measures; provides duties of educational institutions; amends provisions relating to required instruction in public schools; requires character-development program curriculum to include information relating to harassment, discrimination, and violence. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to State Administration; Education Innovation; Education K-20; Judiciary; Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### HB 21 by Detert

**Retirement;** Redefines the term "average final compensation" with respect to the Florida Retirement System to mean 3 highest fiscal years of compensation. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to State Administration; Appropriations

### HB 23 by Spratt

**Administrative Procedures;** Revises language with respect to uniform rules; provides requirements with respect to the application of alleged facts to specific rules or statutes; provides for initial scheduling orders by the administrative law judge with respect to decisions which affect substantial interest; revises language with respect to additional procedures applicable to hearings involving disputed issues of material facts; provides that an order relinquishing jurisdiction shall be rendered under described circumstances; redefines the term "improper purpose"; revises language with respect to licensing; provides additional grounds for certain petitions challenging an agency rule as an

invalid exercise of legislative authority. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

1/9/2003 Referred to Judiciary; State Administration

### **HB 25 by Rich**

**Prevention of Discrimination in Prescription Plans;** Requires employers to ensure that prescription plans include specified coverage, are comprehensive, and do not discriminate on the basis of gender. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

1/9/2003 Referred to Health Access & Financing; Insurance; Workforce & Economic Development; Commerce; Commerce & Local Affairs Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 27 by Roberson**

**Postsecondary Student Fees;** Classifies certain nonresident aliens as residents for tuition purposes. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 29 by Mack**

**Financial Matters of School Districts;** Provides for school service accountability; provides a popular name; requires written analyses of the cost, level, and quality of service for certain noninstructional services; provides for a request for proposals or solicitation of bids to contract with private-sector providers for services; provides for disclosure; provides for use of cost savings; requires reports; provides an appropriation. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 31 by Kravitz**

**Student Financial Assistance;** Prohibits state funds from being used to provide financial assistance to certain postsecondary education students who are citizens of specified countries; requires the amount of funds used for such purpose in fiscal year 2001-2002 to be allocated annually to the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Higher Education; Education K-20; Judiciary; Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 33 by Kravitz**

**The Lottery;** Provides for deduction of a portion of Florida Lotto rollover jackpots to be used to enhance funding for public schools. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Gaming & Pari-mutuels; Business Regulation; Finance & Tax; Commerce & Local Affairs Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 35 by Brutus**

**School Personnel;** Requires charter school personnel to be subject to state and federal rules and regulations that govern public school personnel; requires certain personnel in an alternative school that operates under contract with a district school system to file a set of fingerprints and to be subject to

state and federal rules and regulations. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Education Innovation; Education K-20; Education Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 37 by Kravitz**

**Sexual Offenders;** Prohibits certain sexual offenders subject to conditional release supervision from living within a specified distance of certain places where children congregate; prohibits persons convicted of certain sex crimes from residing within 1,000 feet of a school, day care center, park, or playground; requires district school boards to notify the Department of Corrections regarding school bus stop locations. Effective Date: This act shall take effect October 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Corrections; Public Safety & Crime Prevention; Pre-K through 12; Education K-20; Public Safety Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 39 by Wishner**

**Homestead Exemption;** Provides a penalty for claiming homestead exemption if the source of the funds for the home came from fraudulent sources. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Criminal Justice; Public Safety & Crime Prevention; Judiciary; Public Safety Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 41 by Gottlieb**

**Direct-support Organizations;** Creates nonprofit direct-support organizations for the benefit of the Department of Children and Family Services and the Department of Elderly Affairs; authorizes the solicitation of funds by designated employees. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

1/9/2003 Referred to State Administration; Children's Services; Future of Florida's Families; Human Services Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 43 by Spratt**

**Bridge Designations;** Designates Mamie Langdale Memorial Bridge in Glades County and designates George Crady Bridge in Nassau and Duval Counties. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

1/9/2003 Referred to Transportation Systems; Transportation; Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations; Appropriations

### **HB 45 by Jordan**

**Constitutional Compliance Assistance Program;** Establishes the Constitutional Compliance Assistance Program to enable students to receive a scholarship to attend a private school; provides for the award of a scholarship if the constitutional mandate for class size is not met; provides requirements for scholarship and private school eligibility; specifies obligations of program participants; provides for calculation and payment of scholarships; provides for transmission of certain funds to school districts. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

1/9/2003 Referred to Education Innovation; Education K-20; Education Appropriations; Appropriations



**HB 47 by Kottkamp**

**Intangible Personal Property Taxes;** Repeals provisions relating to intangible personal property taxes, assessment of intangible personal property, the intangible personal property tax roll, filing of intangible tax returns as a factor in determining residency, intangible tax liability information in a corporation's annual report, and claims against a decedent's estate for intangible taxes. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

**HB 49 by Garcia**

**Public Libraries;** Authorizes municipalities to receive operating grants; establishes minimum standards for receipt of funds; revises provisions re confidentiality of public library registration & circulation records to authorize disclosure of information to parent or guardian of library patron under age 16, for purpose of collecting fines or recovering overdue books or other materials, etc. Effective Date: This act shall take effect July 1, 2003

**HB 51 by Garcia**

**Controlled Substances;** Prohibits sale, manufacture, or delivery of controlled substances, or possession of controlled substances with intent to sell, manufacture, or deliver, within 1,000 feet of certain educational institutions, described housing facilities, & any state, county, or municipal park or publicly owned recreational facility; provides penalties; ranks such offenses on offense severity ranking chart of Criminal Punishment Code.

**HB 53 by Sansom**

**Property Tax Exemptions;** Entitles the surviving spouse of disabled ex-service members to a \$5,000 exemption from taxation of the value of certain property.

**HB 55 by Bucher**

**Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County;** Provides for codification of special acts relating to the council. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

**HB 57 by Gannon**

**Drug Abuse Prevention and Control;** Prohibits sale, manufacture, or delivery of controlled substances, or possession of controlled substances with intent to sell, manufacture, or deliver, within 1,000 feet of certain public parks and publicly owned community centers or recreational facilities; provides penalties; ranks such offenses on offense severity ranking chart of Criminal Punishment Code. Effective Date: This act shall take effect October 1, 2003

**HB 59 by Bean**

**Medal of Heroism;** Provides that designated persons are eligible to receive the Medal of Heroism.

**HB 61 by Sansom**

**Property Tax Exemptions;** Entitles the surviving spouse of disabled ex-service members to a \$5,000 exemption from taxation of the value of certain property. Effective Date: This act shall take effect upon becoming a law

**HB 63 by Mack**

**Crimes Against Minors;** Revises the elements of the crimes of kidnapping a minor child and false imprisonment of a minor child; revises the elements of the crime of luring or enticing a minor child for an unlawful purpose and increase the penalty for such a crime. Effective Date: This act shall take effect October 1, 2003